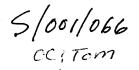


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Div. of Oil, Gas & Mining

June 18, 2008

Memorandum

To:

Opie Abeyta

From:

Ed Ginouves, Cedar City Field Office

Subject:

**Financial Security Request** 

The Cedar City Field Office received a new notice, under the 43 CFR 3809 regulations, to conduct exploration activity on BLM lands managed through this office. This is a re-do of a notice was processed back in 2004 (UTU-81473, same operator) for essentially the same type of work. The operator let the notice expire, so now has to get it re-authorized. The notice will require the posting of a financial security to be in compliance with the regulations. The operator has adopted the DOGM fee schedule to cover the proposed project disturbances, all of which are on BLM-managed lands. Pertinent information for this operation is abstracted below. Call or E-mail me if you have any questions.

Case Name:

Munchkin

BLM Case File:

UTU-82964

DOGM file:

S/001/066

NEPA Number:

none

Operator:

Earth's Partners, LLC

Address:

P.O. Box 1671, Beaver, UT 84713

Contact:

Heather Scholz

Phone:

435-438-5522

Type:

43 CFR 3809, bulk sampling of green garnet

Legal Description:

T. 26 S., R. 16 W., section 25: E½

Location Info:

Beaver County, Utah; about 2 miles west of Wah Wah Summit on SR-21 and

immediately northeast of Lime Point.

BLM 1:100,000 Wah Wah Mtns. North land status quadrangle;

USGS 7.5' Wah Wah Summit topographic quadrangle;

See attached project map.

Proposed Action:

The operator is again proposing trackhoe excavation within four previously disturbed (unreclaimed) areas (sites 1, 2, 3, 4) shown on the attached map. Access to each site will by existing roads and trails. Excavation will be intermittent and possibly ongoing for several years. At the conclusion of the sampling activity, the excavation would be

backfilled with rock rubble /soil mixture and seeded.

Financial Security:

This operator will be required to post a financial security of \$10,200 to secure

reclamation of the notice work, as required by 43 CFR 3809.552.